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Passing of a Pioneer.

One by one the lion-hearted men—the pioneers who wrested this fair land from the nomadic savage tribes that roamed over it and contested with the torch and scalping knife the advance of civilization—are joining that silent majority beyond that veil from whence no traveler has ever returned. Osman Frederick Neuman, the subject of this sketch, was one of the early pioneers in this section, and suffered an incident to his advanced age, for some time and his death was not unexpected. In fact for the past several weeks his relatives and friends realized that the inevitable could not much longer be delayed. He had reached the ripe age of 89 years and 7 months to the day.

Mr. Neuman was married in 1857 to Miss Anna Hackman, and to this union nine children were born. Three of whom preceded him to the grave. He is survived by his aged consort, Mrs. Anna Hackman, nee, Mrs. Duff of Hondo, Mrs. Mary Pochler of Brackenville, Mrs. Lizzie Chism of Utopia and Mrs. Lena Grodt of Medina county; two sons, F. D. Neuman and Otto Neuman, both of this county. Besides these he leaves three brothers, Frank, Neuman and Fred Neuman of this county, and Louis Neuman of Texas county, and one sister, Mrs. Katie Groten of this county, also a

large number of grand-children and two great-grand-children, besides a great number of friends who are deeply grieved over his demise. He was laid to rest in the church yard at Quilhi Wednesday evening, a large number of people being present to pay a last tribute of respect to this worthy old citizen. The passing of these old pioneers who bind the past to the present is a source of regret to those who are the inheritors of the homes and the traditions vouchsafed them by the trials and hardships of the sturdy race of men who first sought to establish and build up homes in this western country. Their number is rapidly growing less, and soon their valiant deeds and grim determination only will be left as a memory to be cherished and revered by succeeding generations. I took many men, not weaklings, to brave the dan-

gers of life in this section when Mr. Neuman elected to cast his lot with the early settlers here more than half a century ago.

To the stricken widow who, side by side has journeyed down life's course for fifty years, and to the children who grieve for a departed father, to the sister and brothers who mourn an absent member of the family circle, the Anvil Herald, in connection with the host of other friends, extends con-

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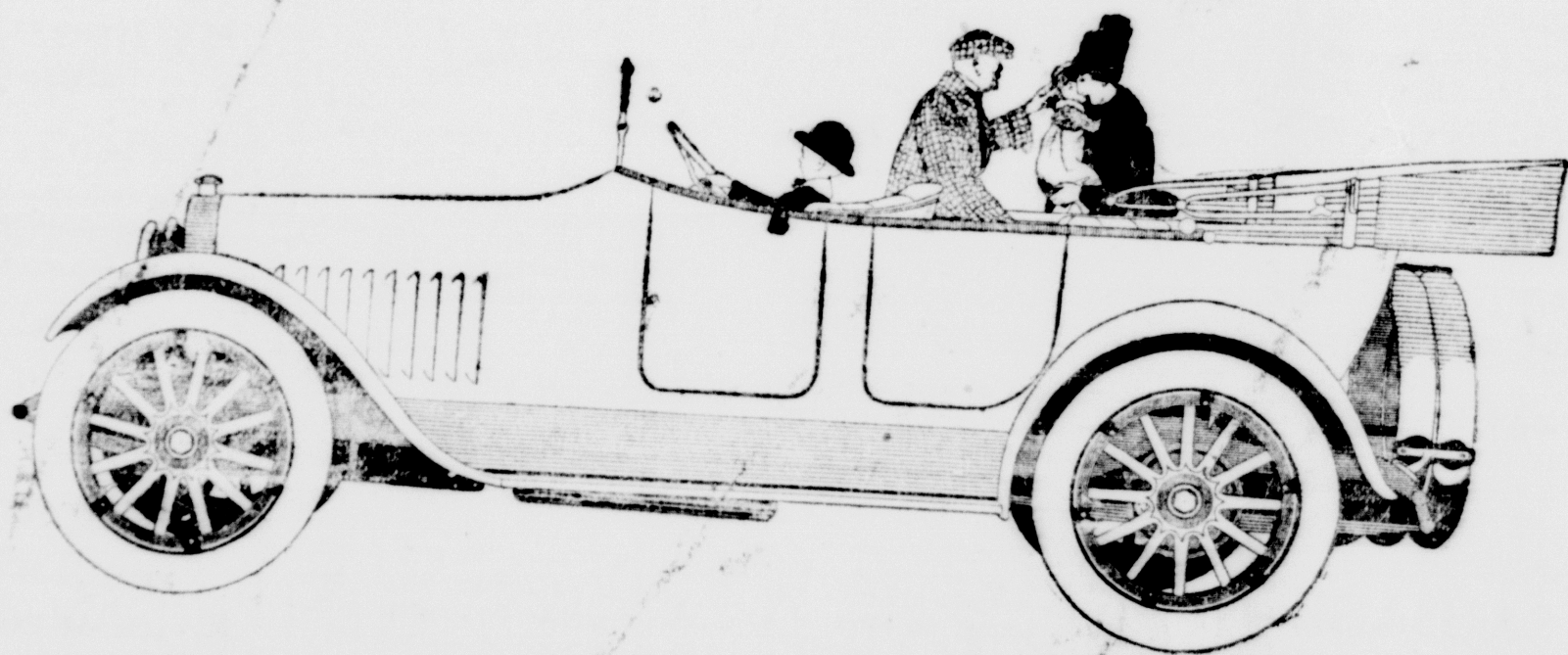
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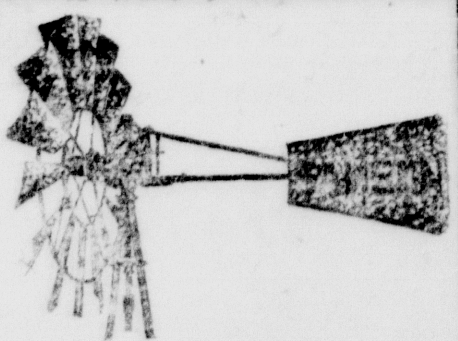
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PREPAREDNESS A QUESTION OF NECESSITY

NATIONS OF WESTERN HEMISPHERE SHOULD ORGANIZE.

Revenue From Income and Inheritance Tax Should Be Utilized for Defense.

By J. S. Callinan.

Chairman Texas Economic League

The three important subjects which the Texas Economic League has listed for first consideration are Citizenship, Administration of Justice and Preparedness. Probably the most important of these is Preparedness. Government is a triangle and Preparedness, Administration of Justice and Citizenship are the component parts with Preparedness as the base. Unless we prepare there will be no Citizenship, no Justice, no government.

Our government is now passing through a supreme test of efficiency, and it is for the citizen to say what he expects of government. In my opinion, government should do something more than collect taxes and issue warnings. It is the duty of government to protect its citizens on land and sea, and our government has no more right to refuse to do so than a citizen has a right to refuse to pay taxes. It is not a question of opinion—it is one of necessity, but no nation can protect its citizens unless it has the guns.

The President is correct in his policy of preparedness and protection, and no thoughtful citizen can afford to invite national peril through inefficiency. When our government permits liberty and freedom of its citizens to go by default, it has violated its pledge to the people, as much as if it took liberty and freedom from them by force. There can be no government without force. A court without a sheriff is nothing more than a debating society, and a modern government without an army or navy is no government at all. It is a helpless tribe of people.

Real men are animals—not angels. They always have and they always will fight. The causes of war will never be removed until the human race is removed. Human nature cannot be dismissed from mankind, for in every infant it will be born again. Many psychological causes have been advanced for wars. There is an old Irish tradition that following a dancing craze the world will either pray or fight. The League is not at the moment concerned in the psychological causes of war, as stern realities demand first attention, for the liberties and rights of a citizen guaranteed by the Constitution have been denied our people.

Nation's Duty to Protect Citizens.

Government is organized physical force, and without force there is no government. No man can peacefully possess a thing of value unless in some manner he can defend his title by force. Our government denies the citizen the right to use force, and in disarming the individual enters into a contract to protect the rights of a citizen by force, and, if necessary, to kill and destroy persons or nations that interfere with the rights of its citizens. It has no option in the matter. It is its first obligation.

This nation is facing a world crisis, and world opportunities. The destinies of the human race are at the moment more nearly in the hands of the American people than any other earthly power, and our government should adopt a policy in dealing with the forces of civilization that will establish permanent world peace. So far as this continent is concerned, in my judgment, the twenty-one Republics should be organized for: First, peace and protection. Second, each Republic should assign not exceeding one per cent of its population to army and navy duties. Third, that at least sixty per cent of the male population of each such Republic should be trained to military discipline and duty; such training period not to exceed two years, to be held thereafter as reserves in case required for the defense of their country or the defense of the continent.

It would further seem highly desirable that applied to the United States a declaration of principles be made covering Federal policies; such, for instance, as the Monroe Doctrine, from which no State should be permitted to depart after such have been voted on and approved by a majority of our people.

The President's plans, as I understand them, call for an investment of \$500,000,000 over a period of five years. I do not think that is sufficient. It seems to me we should shape plans for a continuing expenditure, if need be, of \$5,000,000,000 for such period, and by co-operating with the other twenty American Republics, and possibly Canada, adopt a policy of matching dollars with the balance of the world for the purpose of defense, and protecting liberty, life and property, at much less cost than undertaking to defend the nation against one of the modern powers as now organized.

Congress, in my judgment, should issue Bonds and use the revenue from the income and an inheritance tax only for the purpose of retiring these Bonds. I would further favor universal military training for our young men, adequate provision for our first line of defense, the Navy, substantially increasing our Army, and providing coast defense.

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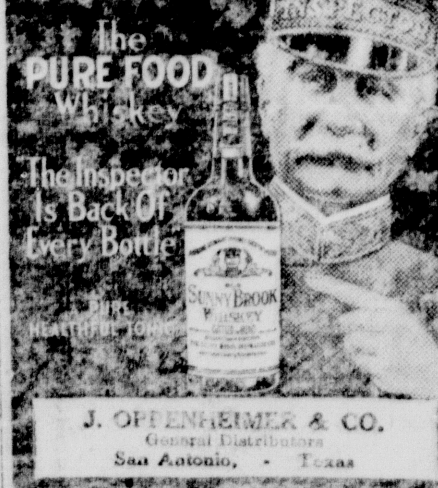
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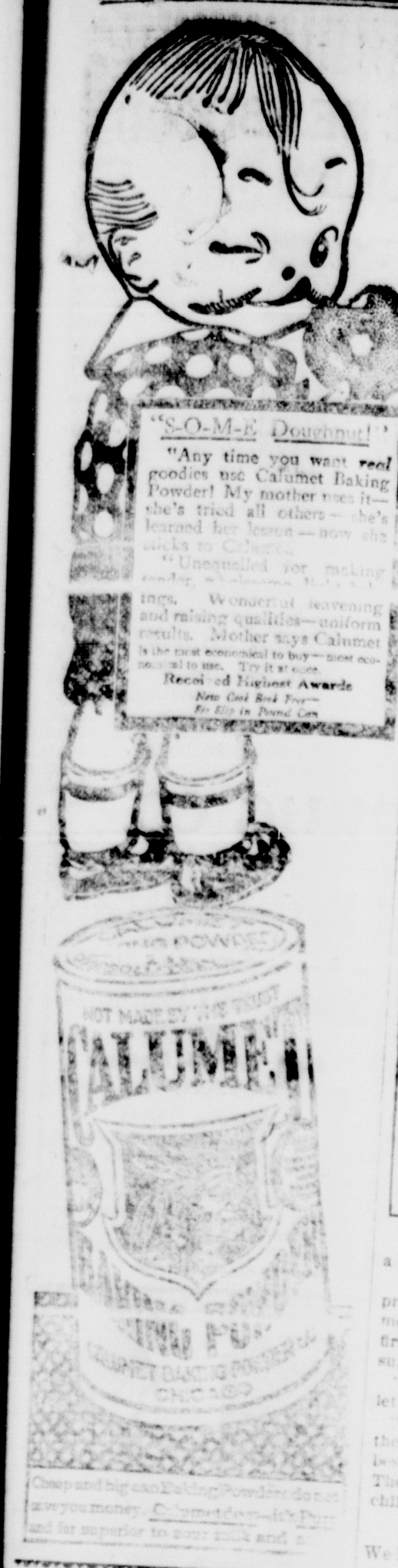
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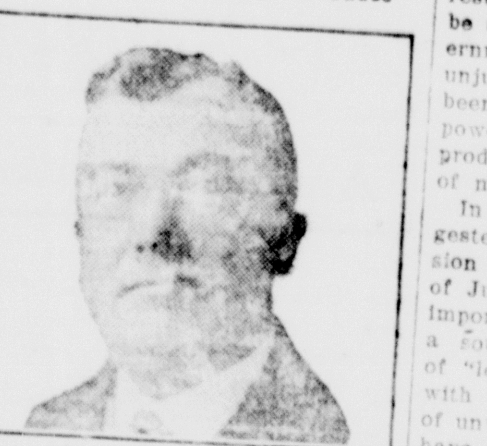
It is susceptible of proof that agriculture yields larger returns on the capital employed and the energy expended than any other great division of human activity.

It is self-evident that the individuality of the farmer is less hampered than that of the clerk who is one of a large office force or the workman who is but one cog in the human machinery of some great industrial plant.

It is clear that in most cases the blame for unprofitable farming lies at the doors of the farmers themselves. It is seldom that a farmer employs the care and intelligence of the manufacturer, or even of the small merchant, in figuring costs, in stopping waste, in striving for quality rather than quantity, and in keeping well informed regarding modern business methods.

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LEGAL PROFESSION NEEDS REGULATING

PUBLIC RECORDS SHOULD BE KEPT OF THEIR TRANSACTIONS.

Lawyers Are Public Servants

(Editor's Note.—The following is the third of a series of articles by J. S. Cullinan, Chairman of the Texas Democratic League, on the Administration of Justice, to which subject the League is now addressing itself.)

By J. S. Cullinan.

There may be those who regard the Administration of Justice as a matter entirely in the hands of office holders, and not one that concerns a citizen and that our system of government will hold secure the liberties of the citizen. To those who may feel that there is safety in indifference, and who place blind confidence in our system and our servants of government, I want to quote a paragraph from a statement recently made by Hon. Thos. R. Marshall, Vice President of the United States, as follows:

"Equitable enforcement of the law can never be made to rest upon the office holders of the land. It must rest upon the individual. It cannot be said that it is the system of government which is wrong. It is the unjust use of the system. It has not been the use, but the abuse of the powers of government which has produced this discontent in the minds of men."

In a previous article I have suggested that it was the legal profession which was making the Temple of Justice tremble, and stressed the importance of higher legal ethics as a source of relief. But the perils of "legalism" neither begin nor end with disorderly conduct on the part of unworthy members of the bar. We have become so legalized that business efficiency is largely determined by law, and property rights have become a legislative prerogative. The subordination of business honor to legal ethics has not improved the morals of industry, and it has resulted in waste, incompetency and instability. The Constitution guarantees rights to persons and property, and government was established to secure those rights, and nowhere in our Constitution is a citizen required to get from government a permit for liberty or a franchise for freedom. They are divine rights.

The citizens are the joint stockholders and owners in government, and it is for them to define the rights of persons and of property. This government is ours—yours and mine—and we have no right to turn it over to legal counsel or to farm it out to office holders. If we are not willing to discharge our responsibilities as sovereigns, then we should change our system of government and employ a King to run the country.

A Remedy Suggested

Having engaged in these criticisms it is incumbent upon me to suggest a remedy. The business interests have, during the past quarter of a century felt the influence of two powerful forces—Regulation and Publicity. While both these agencies have been misused, they have made good, and I do not believe there are many honest men in business who would withdraw them. Their worth having been proved, I would apply them to the legal profession as lawyers are public servants, and have as much of a monopoly on law as our transportation systems have upon traffic.

Considering the public or semi-public nature of the duties of the legal profession, there would seem to be no further reason why its affairs should not be open to scrutiny quite as much as applies to corporate business where the National or State Governments very properly fix or reserve the right to investigate, such corporate business.

Let the Sunshine In

The lawyer has been quite active in regulating business, and is no doubt more capable of working out the details of regulating his profession than a layman, but my first impression is that all lawyers should be required to keep permanent record of all their transactions, and report annually to some department of State the name of all clients, compensation received, from such clients, and the character of service rendered in court or out, and the place where rendered, and that the public and the press be given access to these records.

This nation must depend upon just men for justice, and no man associated with the Administration of Justice should fail to endow his conduct with the influences of publicity, and no lawyer can afford to dismiss an opportunity of presenting to his fellow citizens evidence of righteous stewardship of his client's welfare, or fail to challenge an occasion of winning the confidence and esteem of the people by making public and permanent records of convincing evidence of his professional honesty and integrity. The books of almost all business concerns are open to inspection of proper officials and why not let the sunshine in on the records of the legal profession?

The regulation of the law is suggested as first aid to justice and not as a complete remedy for injustice.

RHEUMATISM ARRESTED

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Shreveport, La.—"I had a bad stomach trouble for years and became so weak I could hardly walk or do any work. My appetite was poor, my food would not digest, I bloated and was very weak and nervous. I tried many remedies without help. I saw Vinol advertised and tried it, and now my stomach trouble is completely cured and I am well."—E. L. MARSHALL.

It is guaranteed to the tired, over-taxed and weakened nerves of the stomach and create strength.

W. H. Windrow, Druggist, Hondo, Tex.

Beefsteak Chowder.

Cut slices of salt pork into small lots, with one onion minced fine; cook until a nice brown; add one quart of boiling water, let simmer five minutes, then add one pound round steak cut into strips one-half inch thick and two inches long; bring this quickly to a boil, then simmer until the meat is tender; add four or five pared and sliced potatoes, season with salt and pepper, add more boiling water and when potatoes are tender add one and one-half cupsful of good rich milk or cream; split six or eight crackers, put into soup dish and pour chowder over them, serving at once.

To Starch Fine Lingerie.

Many housewives experience great difficulty in laundering fine lingerie, such as dainty waists, jabots, collars and so forth. The chief difficulty seems to lie in giving them just the proper degree of crispness. Binding them in a solution of borax gives the right degree of stiffness and renders them just like new. Two heaping tablespoonsful of borax to five quarts of water is a good proportion. This is also excellent for thin dresses trimmed with lace.

Corn With Cheese.

Cut cold boiled corn from the cob, put in double boiler with milk enough to cover. When hot add cheese to suit your taste cut in thin bits, pepper and salt. Keep hot till cheese melts, but do not boil. Nice for supper.

A Healing Salve for Burns, Chapped Hands and Sore Nipples.

As a healing salve for burns, sore, sore nipples and chapped hands Chamberlain's Salve is most excellent. It allays the pain of a burn almost instantly, and unless the injury is very severe, heals the parts without leaving a scar. Price, 25 cents. For sale by All Dealers.

A man may be respected for the enemies he makes but is never envied.

For Constipation.

Mr. L. H. Farnham, a prominent druggist of Spirit Lake, Iowa, says: "Chamberlain's Tablets are certainly the best thing on the market for constipation." Give these tablets a trial. You are certain to find them agreeable and pleasant in effect. Price, 25 cents. For sale by All Dealers.

Patience may bring it to you, but it's lots quicker to go after it.

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Hunting or trespassing in any manner whatsoever is strictly forbidden in our farms and pastures. This means everybody. Nobody exempt. GEO. H. BENEFIELD, JOHN FRENCH, HENRY FRENCH.

Not to respect a person does not mean that you cannot enjoy him.

Pessimists are usually without personal reasons for being that way.

"Charity covers a multitude of sins," if not advertised.

Hope is a nourishing food for the heartsick.

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Does not contain any opiates

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"I feel it my duty to tell others what Chamberlain's Tablets have done for me," writes Mrs. L. Dunlap, of Oak Grove, Mich. "I have suffered with pains in my back and under my shoulder blade for a number of years, also with a poor appetite and constipation. I tried all of the remedies that I heard of, and a number of doctors, but got no relief. Finally a friend told me to try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I got a bottle of them and they soon helped my stomach, by their gentle action my bowels became more regular. Today I feel like a new woman. I feel like praising them to all who suffer as I did, for they have cured me and made my life worth living."

L. A. Nechler

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Chamberlain's COLIC, CHOLERA AND Diarrhoea Remedy

THIS is unquestionably the successful medicine in all bowel complaints, and it is the recognized standard over a large part of the civilized world. Every man of a family should keep this remedy in his home. Buy it now. It may save life. PRICE, 25c. LARGE SIZE, 50c.

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Get it at Windrow's.
Enter the Overland contest.
Ammunition. Holloway Bros.
Eat at the New York Lunch Room.
Cigars and smoking tobacco at Meyen's. 50-tf.

J. B. Yeager was over from D'Hanis this week.

Fresh oysters at the New York Lunch room.

Henry Merriman visited in San Antonio Sunday.

Bargains in tailored suits at The City Tailor Shop.

Mac wants you to call at his Barber Shop, in the Pool Hall. 23-tf

Call at Mac's Barber Shop, in the Pool Hall, for good work. 23-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Weyand were D'Hanis visitors this week.

For Sale—Pole Wood and Stumps. Phone 140. John Frerichs. 27-tf.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Neater of D'Hanis were in town Wednesday.

We can print most any thing in the job printing line. Get the Anvil Her aid's prices. tf

For first-class cleaning and pressing phone 179. The Enterprise Tailor Shop. 24-tf.

H. G. Henderson of Falfurias was here this week visiting relatives and looking after business interests.

Mrs. T. M. Davis, after a visit here to her brother-in-law, A. H. D. Hurt, and family, returned to her home at Dilley this week.

Miss Dorothy Metzger, who is attending school at San Marcos, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Metzger, here this week.

Have your clothing made to order. Perfect fit and workmanship guaranteed. Enterprise Tailor Shop, Walter T. McClagherty, Prop. 24-tf.

Miss Lola Moses, who has been teaching one of the schools up in the hill country, passed through Hondo this week en route to San Antonio.

Wanted—Eggs of hawks, Owls, eagles, buzzards, etc. Big prices paid. Shipping cases free. Write Wildwoods Far Farms, Colmesneil, Texas. 31-2mo

For Sale—673 acres black and red sandy mesquite land, 7 1/2 miles south of Hondo. 75 per cent tillable, good fields, shallow water, gasoline engine installed for irrigating purposes. Price \$225 per acre. Will sell all or part. H. R. Bailey. 30-tf

Oil Heaters. Holloway Bros.
Local advertisements pay. Try it.
Judge R. J. Noonan returned from a visit to San Antonio Monday.

Buy Fisk—and run no risk, the tire of quality. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Mrs. Altho McKelvey and children left this week for Dallas on a visit.

The paper came out a little earlier this week on account of the School Meet.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Paseler and baby of Yancey, visited San Antonio Monday.

Col. W. B. Odom, Geo. Carle, Earl Boon and Chas. Monkhouse were an automobile party from here that visited San Antonio Wednesday.

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The services of the Doctor or the Veterinarian are essential to the farmer. Either may be summoned quickly over the telephone in case of accident or sudden illness.

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The Powerful 83-B Overland—\$770 delivered.
R. E. Reiber was here from Tarpley Wednesday.
Fresh oysters at the New York Lunch room.
Dr. J. H. Fletcher visited San Antonio Thursday.
Fruit Sundaes at Heyen's confectionery—10 cents each.
Fred Reinhardt of Seeco was transacting business here Wednesday.
Mrs. Bettie Meriwether was a passenger to San Antonio Monday.
Prof. P. B. Peterson and family motored to San Antonio Saturday.
For Sale—Haye Heyen's place east part of town. Approx to Wills Heyen.
For Sale—A good piano on easy terms. Call at Windrow's drug store.
Rev. F. D. Moses and family of the Tarpley country were in Hondo this week.
Eugene Grimsinger was a business visitor in D'Hanis several days this week.
Let Edwin F. Bendele repair your windmills, gasoline engines and pumps. 32-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Meriwether and Miss Myrtle Hall were here from Knippa last week end.

Bring to your country produce. Will pay you cash for it. L. Barrientes & Sons, phone 200.

Don't forget just received a new lot of children's hats, ladies' hats and automobile caps. Mrs. Haralson.

Buy Red Seal Batteries—they are guaranteed good. Fresh supply just received. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

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Let the City Tailor Shop clean and press your suit. Satisfaction guaranteed. Geo. Carle Jr., proprietor.

Paul Richter returned Saturday from Wichita Falls where he had been to attend a Farmers' Union meeting.

If you would be neatly and correctly dressed let Geo. Carle of The City Tailor Shop take your measure for a new suit.

Have your old furniture, such as chairs, tables, etc. repaired by Edwin F. Bendele. All work guaranteed satisfactory. 32-tf

You can find John Horgan at McClagherty & Horgan's old stable stand, where he will be pleased to do all your auto repair work. 24-tf

Fred Neuman went to San Antonio Thursday to see Mrs. Neuman, who has been in the city for sometime for medical attention.

Mrs. T. M. Newton and daughter, Miss Mabel, of Alpine, have been the guests of Mrs. W. E. Newton and daughters this week.

The school at Verdina having closed, the teacher, Miss Carrie Wipfl, passed through Hondo Thursday en route to her home at Devine.

Don't forget the latest styles and newest lines of spring millinery, hats, auto caps, etc. are constantly arriving at Mrs. Haralson's Millinery Emporium. 30-tf.

For sale—Brown Leghorn eggs for setting—the egg producing strain. 75c per setting of 15 eggs. J. P. Lippold, 5 miles south of Hondo on Yancey road. 20-31.

Get your gasoline at McClagherty & Horgan's, where all gasoline is run through a full metal hose. No danger of pieces of rubber getting into your gas tank. 24-tf

Louis Neuman, who was called here on account of the death of his brother, O. F. Neuman of Quini Wednesday, returned to his home in Bexar county Thursday.

Mrs. Jno. Becker and her little nephew, Dr. Smith's little son, returned Thursday from San Antonio where the little boy was operated on for tonsillitis.

L. D. Hardt and Wesley Hardt, two students in the Southwestern University, Georgetown, after a visit to home-folks at Yancey, returned to the University Wednesday.

Fletcher Davis returned Wednesday from a ten days trip to Banderas County on work for the State Department of Agriculture. During those ten days he visited and spoke to twelve public schools and one parochial school, addressed six public gatherings and organized seven Farmers' Institutes. Mr. Davis says that while that section is badly in need of rain the small grain crop is holding up well and may yet produce a fair yield.

Warning!
Parties are warned not to dump any more trash, etc., on my lots or they will be prosecuted.
30-21 CHAS. METZGER.

Water Works Notice.
Water for yard is extra. For gardens or irrigation not allowed. Watering yard after night strictly forbidden.
30-tf

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One Quart will save \$8 to \$10 in Gasoline Bills. Increases your mileage 25 to 40 per cent. Eliminates Carbon Deposits. Gives you a Smooth-running Motor with Increased Power. This is a Liquid that you mix with the Gasoline. For further particulars, see

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Saxon "Six" \$815.00.

The price of the Saxon "Six" both touring car and roadster types is now \$815.00 f.o.b. Detroit.

The Saxon "Six" is the only car in its price class with the following high grade, thoroughly proved features:

Six-cylinder Motor, Saxon design, manufactured by Continental.
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Timken Axles
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Helical Bevel Drive Gear.
Cantilever Springs, all Vanadium Steel. Saxon owners never have trouble from broken springs and are never annoyed by rattling spring clips.

Saxon "Six" will climb hills better than any other car in its price class.
Saxon "Six" will idle better at slow speed on high gear than any other car in its price class.

Saxon "Six" will show more speed than any other car in its price class.
Saxon "Six" will give all five passengers a more comfortable ride over all sorts of road conditions than any other car in its price class.

Saxon "Six" will show a higher average mileage per gallon of gasoline than any other car in its price class.
Saxon "Six" will accelerate faster than any other car in its price class.

In fact, the Saxon "Six" will give a better all-around performance under all conditions of city and country driving than any car selling within several hundred dollars of its price.

We are prepared to demonstrate the truth of these statements to any prospective automobile buyer.

Sold by Citizens' Motor Car Co., Weyand Bros., Props., Phone 151, Hondo, Texas.

Court House News.

DEEDS FILED.

James Amberson to R. L. Lightfoot, Feb. 28, 1916, deed to lot No. 12, block No. 1, in Lake View Addition, \$100.

A. E. Waugeman and wife to E. G. Weaver, Feb. 1, 1916, deed to 501 acres out of surveys Nos. 139, 243, 185, 136 and 358, in names of Humble & Tindall, G. W. Brooks, D. Medina, L. Vandever, \$15,871.

R. M. Redus to Adams Company, Feb. 19, 1916, deed to 3 acres out of survey No. 3, Castro's Colony, \$600.

Daniel W. Forest, minor, by guardian, to A. T. Forst, Feb. 10, 1916, guardian's deed to an undivided 1-95 interest in and to lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 8, range 9; lots 1, 2, 7 and 8, block 8, range 9, Castroville, \$11.15.

Rothe & Koch to Jos. Finger, Sept. 30, 1915, deed to 1 1/2 acres out of survey No. 44, D. G. Burnett, D'Hanis, \$300.

Henry J. Gross to Joe Adam, Feb. 29, 1916, deed to lots 1, 2, 3, block 10, Lacoste, \$550.

Katy Mumme for herself and as executrix, to Albert Mumme, Jan. 25, 1916, deed to 57 1/2 acres out of surveys Nos. 326 and 113, N. Pichot and Anton Schott, \$1 and love and affection.

Katy Mumme for herself and as executrix, Jan. 25, 1916, deed to 87 1/2 acres out of surveys Nos. 326 and 118, N. Pichot and Anton Schott, \$1 and love and affection.

Katy Mumme to Ernest Mumme, Jan. 25, 1916, deed to 88 acres out of surveys Nos. 113 and 112, Anton Schott and H. Castro, \$1 and love and affection.

Emma Tschirhart and husband to Angelina Balzen and husband, Feb. 5, 1916, deed to 480 acres out of surveys Nos. 188, 225 and 226, in names of T. T. Ry. Co., H. E. & W. T. Ry. Co., \$1 and exchange of 159 acres above described.

To Cotton Growers.

For the real A. D. Mebane Cotton Seed, grown under the supervision of A. D. Mebane, the originator of this famous variety, see Fritz Frerichs. Prices governed by quantity ordered. 17-tf

Woman's Missionary Society.

The mission study of the Woman's Missionary Society will be postponed from Monday, April 3rd to April 10th. All members requested to be present. H. R. R. 17-tf

THIS IS THE SEASON FOR COLDS



and it is hard to release yourself from their clutch when they once get a firm hold on your system. The best way is to take our REXALL CHERRY BARK Cough Syrup when you first feel the cold coming on. Then you will be rid of it quickly. And even if the cold is firmly seated, this efficient remedy will give ready relief and hasten recovery.

MARTIN DRUG CO.

Announcements

RATES:

For district office.....\$10.00
For county office.....5.00
For precinct office.....2.50

CASH IN ADVANCE.

For Representative, 16th Legislative District

We are authorized to announce HAROLD BALDWIN of Schinal, as a candidate for Representative from the 16th Legislative District of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE SCHUEBLE as a candidate for Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, Medina County, at the November election.

For County Commissioner

We are authorized to announce R. C. WIEMERS as a candidate for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce ALBERT L. NEUMAN as a candidate for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce JOHN R. KEY as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

Jacks For Sale.

For sale two Jacks, one 3 and the other 2 years old. Also one Jennett, six years old, with colt.

JOHN INKEN, Lacoste, Texas. 34-tf

Lost,

Between Utopia and Hondo one double-barrel shotgun in brown leather case. Finder please notify E. M. Burg, 226 S. Monumental St., San Antonio, for reward. 34

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Samples for MEN and YOUNG MEN

Priced from \$13 to \$35. See these samples before placing your order



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8 PER CENT Off
FOR CASH ON ALL
BUGGIES HACKS SURREYS

This is a genuine reduction on New Vehicles and will last until APRIL 1, 1916. Get them now!

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Play Ball!

Buy your Gloves, Bats, Balls and Supplies from Windrow's drug store

Where you will find a large assortment to select from.

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Everything for the Fisherman is here. Cane Poles, 10c to \$1.00. Steel Casting Rods, \$1.00 to \$12.00 each. Reels, \$1.00 to \$18.50 each. Look at our assortment of Lines, \$1.00 to \$2.00 each. Call and let us show them to you.

W. H. WINDROW PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST Everything Usually Found in a Drug Store is Here

PERSONALS

KODAK WORK

B. Yeager was here from D'Hanis Sunday.

Robert Knives and scissors. Hollen Bros.

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Miss Annie Callahan spent Monday at Hanis.

Send the Anvil Herald to our subscribers.

L. Saathoff was here from Tarp Thursday.

P. Mann was a business caller at office Monday.

A. K. Goza paid this office a business call Tuesday.

Try the Anvil Herald one year for a dollar—less than two cents a week.

Mr. L. Ernest of San Antonio is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bohmfalk.

Wanted—Girl for waitress and housemaid. Central Hotel, Jourdenton, Tex.

Model 75 Roadster, the young man's prize \$655 delivered, completely equipped.

Miss T. Brucks was over from Hanis Sunday on a visit to relatives and friends.

First class photographs at reasonable prices. Made by Conley, Hondo, on street.

J. W. Crow and family attended the Crutchfield nuptials at D'Hanis Saturday.

Spring is nearly here. Have an Overland Six, with its pull and beauty \$236 delivered.

Have your screen windows and doors made by Edwin F. Bendele. Shop in Hondo Addition. 52-41.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crow attended the Crow-Crutchfield wedding at Hanis Saturday.

Miss R. A. Carter, Fletcher and Oscar Bader were D'Hanis business visitors Thursday.

The popular Model 83-B Overland—large, comfortable and powerful car that sells for \$770 delivered.

Send the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be a weekly news-letter to them.

Cleaning and pressing neatly and correctly done and deliveries promptly made when you let The City Tailor shop do your tailoring. Geo. Carle Jr.

Done promptly by Conley, Hondo, Tex.

This paper only \$1.00 a year. Try it Aug. Schroeder was a D'Hanis business visitor Tuesday.

We buy poultry and eggs especially. L. Barrientes & Sons, phone 200.

Fresh grape fruit and all kinds of other fruits in season at F. A. Hogen's.

See the working model of the Willys-Knight cylinder at Windrow's drug store. Squeeze-valve motors. Sold by Horace King.

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Mrs. F. H. Belmark and son, Francis, from San Antonio visited Mrs. P. Jungman Sunday.

Equip your Ford with a set of Ford Firestone Demountable Rims. We have them in stock. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

For Sale—A few bushels of Pure Red Top Cane Seed. No Johnson grass or weeds. H. R. Bailey. 30-11

For Sale—A registered Red Polled Bull, about six years old. Price \$75.00. Apply to Toby Koch, Hondo.

If you are particular about your laundry try the Paul Steam Laundry, Agency at the Enterprise Tailor Shop.

See our line of Samples and let us order that new suit for you. The Tailor Shop, Geo. Carle Jr., Proprietor.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell of Alpine arrived here Thursday evening and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lacy at the ranch.

Just received, a new Spring supply of Fishing Tackle. Come and see them and get my prices. C. R. Gaines.

Fisk "Red Top" Tires—Four thousand mile guarantee—Adjustment on defective tires made here. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

The protracted meeting in progress at the Nazarine tent is daily growing in interest, good congregations attending each service.

Lost—A 4-year-old muley cow, branded EE on left hip and ZA bar on ribs, unmarked. Will pay \$5.00 reward for return of cow. C. G. Bendele. 23-11

Don't forget the latest styles and newest lines of spring millinery hats, auto caps, etc. are constantly arriving at Mrs. Haralson's Millinery Emporium. 33-11.

See McClaugherty & Harger about Firestone tires. If your size is not in stock it can be gotten on short notice. No better tires made at standard prices. 24-11

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We have opened a garage and repair shop at our old stable stand in Hondo, and expect soon to be able to handle all kinds of repairs on autos. Your patronage is solicited with the assurance that we will highly appreciate same. Satisfaction guaranteed. McClaugherty & Harger. 24-11

Died.

Miss Willie J. Stewart, aged about eighteen years, died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hay, Sr. in Bandera, about four o'clock Tuesday afternoon, March 28, 1916, after an illness of some eight months duration. Her remains were tenderly laid to rest in the Bandera cemetery the following day.

The deceased was the only child of Mr. Henry Stewart of this place and spent most of her young life here, having gone to Bandera a few weeks ago to be with her friends there. She was born October 8, 1897. Her mother died in July of 1899, and since that time she has been the special charge of her father who has been devoted to her. Her untimely death, though not unexpected on account of her long illness, is a great shock to him.

Mr. Stewart, his brother from Boerne and several other relatives and friends were at the bedside when the end came, and followed the remains to their last resting place among the hills of old Bandera. May the wild blossoms of those hills bloom brightly over that resting place and time bind up the bleeding hearts of those who loved her. A loving and dutiful daughter, in the bloom of her girlhood, has gone to dwell with those who loved her in another world. But she has left with those who loved her here the sweet memory of her gentle spirit to cheer and comfort them in their sorrow.

"It is well with the child." Peace to her ashes.

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Crow-Crutchfield.

A wedding of more than usual interest, and which came as a surprise to almost everybody, was that of Mr. V. A. Crow of this town and Miss Lydia Crutchfield, who had been teaching school near D'Hanis.

The ceremony was performed at the residence of Ernest Brotze at D'Hanis, at eight o'clock Saturday morning, March 25th, Rev. W. P. Carter, pastor of the Hondo Baptist church, officiating.

The wedding was a very quiet affair, only a few friends and relatives being present.

The happy couple spent a brief honeymoon in San Antonio, and are now domiciled in one of the Bendele cottages, on the North Side.

Mr. Crow is in the jewelry business here and is well and favorably known to all. He is to be congratulated upon winning such a charming and talented life-companion and help-mate.

The bride is one of Medina county's most popular young school teachers. She was reared at Devine, where she was very popular in social and educational circles.

The Anvil Herald, together with their many friends, extends felicitations to the happy couple, and wishes for them a long and prosperous wedded life.

Notice.

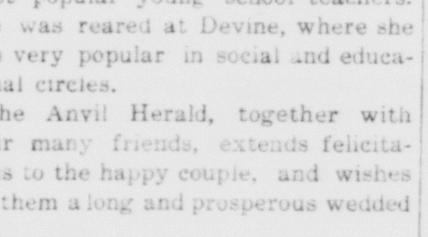
Owing to the advance in the price of all kinds of feed I am compelled to raise the price of milk to ten cents a quart on and after the first of April. My customers will please take note of this that they may be prepared for the same. Respectfully,
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Crop Conditions

The crop prospect in this county is not as bright as it was ten days ago; the continued drouth has almost ruined the small oat crop, and has hindered the corn planting. The farmers are well up with their work; in fact, they can not do much more until they get a rain. There will be a large acreage of sweet potatoes and corn planted in this county. A good acreage of corn has been, and more will be, planted.

weather has been exceed-
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to fruit or crops of any
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port closes March 18.

LEON COUNTY
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ONE AND LIMESTONE
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"For"—"I wish to tell you
dience I had when suffering
weak back, rheumatism,
infection of the kidneys.
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Buffalo, N. Y., you have no
I for years. This medicine
me in a wonderful manner.
I taken any medicine so helpf
sick time. I do wish anyone
it would give it a trial."
(Signed) G. H. HERR.
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irritation bother or distress you
aid in the blood has caused rheu-
mbago, gout, neuralgia, or sci-
us suspect that you have kidney
trouble, send 10 cents to Doctor
Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.,
trial package or at all druggists
a package.

last week's News Letter, as to what the farmers should do in the event of continued dry weather. In the southern section of the State there is time yet for the next ten days to plant on land as well prepared for it as good rains will give, but in the western sections, the north and northwestern, it will be too late a week hence to speculate on corn crops even if a rain comes. The recourse those sections should have, and prepare for, is the sowing of all available soil to the feed crops, the grain sorghums, peanuts and the like. The inclination will be to turn to cotton, but that cannot be done without bringing greater calamity upon the crop, though the ground may be left unsown for the next year. This is a condition that presses for attention on the farmers.

The Meat Problem

The price of meats that we consume on our tables has gone up by leaps and bounds in the last few years. All who have given the meat supply question careful study, assure us that in all probability the price of meats will never be cheaper than at present. This is a suggestive hint to all farmers as to the future profitable lines of farm operations. Hens and capons.

afford the greatest opportunity to the small farmer to raise meat for the market. For the want of capital or land all can not engage in cattle raising or feeding but a large majority of farmers can keep a few hogs with profit. It requires but small capital to start. In fact it will require practically no money if the farmer is willing to wait for the natural increase from a very small beginning. This was the experience of W. T. Lindley, Abilene, Texas. In 1914 he had one sow that he pastured on alfalfa. In this dry section the alfalfa amounted to nothing more than pasture for hogs. Her first litter numbered ten. One died. He fattened two for home use. Her second litter numbered eight and he fattened three for home use. In March, 1916 he had a herd of 60 including all ages and sizes. All were the natural increase of one sow in two years. By using what alfalfa pasture he had and her cheap feeds grown on his farm. Mr. Lindley estimates that his 60 pigs have not cost him over \$50.00 in money. Mr. Lindley's experience can be duplicated and perhaps improved on by any other farmer who becomes interested in hog raising. A few head would be a sufficient beginning for a considerable farm.

Tuff Farmers Organize

Tuff, Tex., March 24.—Farmers of the Tuff community met at the schoolhouse last night and organized a farmers' institute and elected officers as follows: O. L. Adams, president; Bill McMahan, vice-president; Miss Bettie Brewer, secretary, and S. D. Moore, entomologist. Hon. Fletcher Davis, field agent of the State Department of Agriculture, addressed the meeting and assisted in the organization. After the meeting at the schoolhouse those present went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Moore, where they were entertained with a musicale.—San Antonio Express.

Cut This Out--It is Worth Money.

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Medina Farmers Organize.

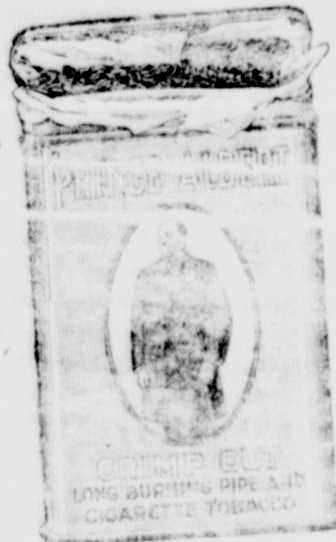
Medina City, Tex., March 24.—Fletcher Davis, field agent of the State Department of Agriculture, lectured here twice yesterday. In the afternoon he spoke at the school and organized a Junior Farmers' Institute among the pupils and in the evening he spoke to the general public at the Christian Church and organized a Farmers' Institute. Officers elected at the evening meeting were: K. K. Stokes, president; J. E. Aiken, vice-president; Ed Patton, secretary and Oscar Lackey, entomologist.—San Antonio Express.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh of the Bladder. This is the only positive cure now known for a constitutional disease. (Catarrh being a general term for all diseases, requires a constitutional treatment.) Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by rebuilding the constitution and assisting the system to get rid of its own poison. We have so much to say in its curative power, that we have no room to say more for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Name Your Farm!

OCASIONALLY we get a letter from a farmer on stationery on which is printed his own name and the name of his farm. In some cases we find on the margin, briefly stated, what is being made a specialty of on that farm.

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The editor of your county paper always stands in need of a bushel of potatoes, a sack of water-ground meal, or some such farm product, and would be glad to swap you some nice printed envelopes and paper to match for these things.

It would pay you to do some trading with this man, who is doing a lot in his way to help you, so next time you are in town talk it over with him. Before giving the order talk it over with the wife and family, and decide on an appropriate, catchy name for your farm and then—live up to it.—President Charles S. Barrett in National Field.

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Save the Trees.

Editor Anvil Herald, Hondo, Texas:
The excellent and well-planned road-work being done in the Lacoste-Castroville section, is interesting to the visitor, and shows the intelligent, progressive spirit of your citizenship as expressed through their public servants, the county commissioners. For good roads, well and permanently built by the most direct routes between farm and market or shipping-point, are the very best investment a community can make, aside from the schools. Good roads are common-sense expressed in everyday terms.

But the needless destruction of trees along these highways of travel is a serious mistake that I note in several sections of this state.

In most sections, however, the natural trees—the splendid oaks, elms, hackberries, mesquites and pecans—along the roads are carefully preserved. For common-sense shows to anyone their actual, practical, dollars-and-cents value.

But it is distressing indeed to see the loss of fine old, healthy trees, that has occurred along the roads between the south part of Medina county and the dam.

Such wanton destruction of public property, such disregard for public comfort and the wishes of the people (for there is surely not one citizen but deplores and resents the destruction of these grand old landmarks) should meet with prompt rebuke and immediate prevention.

Some of these trees have taken five hundred years to grow, and in the half century or more of occupancy of this country by civilized people have sheltered and protected from blistering sun, or pelting rain or hail, hundreds of people, and in the busy populous future certain to come to this fertile section, these same trees would bless tens of thousands of people in future years. For many of these trees, already centuries old—as for instance the magnificent live-oak in the middle of the road between Lacoste and the river, going east on the road to Castroville—would live for centuries more.

Yet the roots are being excavated in evident preparation to destroy this noble specimen of nature's work, which has lived only to bless humanity, and which, if left alone, and cherished by the removal and proper treatment afterwards of some of its injured branches, will be worth more to future generations (yes, even to this generation), than the temporary work that can be done on road-beds. For all other road-work can at best last only a few years. But this is a "rest station" that will still endure for centuries.

What is it, short of presumption, that prompts the destruction, by an authority—which exists comparatively for only a day, and only purposes of good service—to destroy a piece of public wealth, like this?

If one a public servant could supply or put in place a tree like this, in the center of a much traveled public road, he would be entitled to public gratitude, and if such a thing could be done at a thousand dollars expense it would be a good investment. But that the public, through its public servants, should destroy such public property, is inconceivable. If this, or any other community, could have a road with a wonderful tree like this every few hundred feet, in the center of the road, like this priceless tree, it would be famous the world over.

In nearly every place where trees are in the county roads they are carefully saved. In many of the more progressive parts of Southern California, as at Riverside, Redlands, Los Angeles, etc., a row of trees has been most carefully and at vast expense, planted and maintained in the center of the country roads. And as these get large they are the more treasured.

This single tree, centuries old, wide-spread, evergreen, and magnificent in its proportions, is actually worth thousands of dollars to this county.

Let any influence that would destroy it first pause and think on these things. Take the "wide-out-look," and instead of destroying this priceless public blessing make it into a "rest station" by dividing the road-bed on each side of it, making there under its branches a little haven of refuge from storm and heat, a place to struggle with "tire troubles," tired horses or weary feet.

HARVEY C. STILES,
Horticulturist.

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Mr. and Mrs. Kempf and daughter of Hondo spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Val Volmer.

Messrs. Tampke and Umlang of Utopia were in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Koch and family, of D'Hanis, came over Monday to visit their mother, Mrs. Volmer, who has been visiting with her son, Val.

Miss Lucy Hoog, who has been visiting Mrs. C. E. Gibson and Mrs. Roy Spence and Mrs. Scott the past week, left for Knippa where she will visit several days before going home in Uvalde.

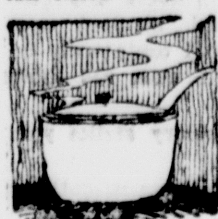
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dumont of Hondo came in on the noon train Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Kelley.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

It does not follow that the more talkative a person becomes, the more agreeable he is.

SYMPOSIUM OF SOUPS.

On a stay-at-home night try Spanish onion soup.



Spanish Onion Soup.—Chop fine five onions and fry brown in butter, adding a teaspoonful of sugar. When brown pour over eight cupfuls of hot beef stock.

Add a bayleaf, half a dozen pepper corns, and a tablespoonful of minced parsley. Simmer 15 minutes, strain and serve with diced fried bread.

Puree of Carrots.—Fry brown in butter one cupful of carrots, cut in dice. Add enough beef stock to cover and simmer until soft. Add six cupfuls of stock, bring to a boil, and add the yolks of two eggs, beaten, with two tablespoonfuls of cream.

Dutch Soup.—Cook together a carrot and an onion in boiling salted water. Rub through a sieve, season with salt and pepper and add a teaspoonful of sugar. Add five cupfuls of beef stock, reheat and serve.

Split Pea Soup.—Soak over night four cupfuls of split peas in cold water to cover, adding a pinch of soda. Drain and add to eight cupfuls of beef stock. Add a head of celery, a sliced carrot and an onion chopped fine. Season with salt, pepper and curry powder. Strain through a coarse sieve into a tureen, rubbing the pulp through the sieve. Serve with croutons (diced fried bread).

Savory Rice Soup.—Add a cupful of cold boiled rice to four cupfuls of beef stock. Simmer until the rice is very soft, then rub through a fine sieve and return to the fire. Season to taste, thicken with the yolks of two eggs, beaten with half a cupful of cream.

Tomato Soup.—Cook two quarts of tomatoes with two onions, two carrots and a half cupful of chopped raw ham. Add two quarts of veal stock, strain, season and reheat. Thicken with one tablespoonful each of flour and butter, cooked together; blend with a little of the stock and add; bring to a boil, season with salt, butter, pepper and a bit of sugar; serve with croutons.

Veal stock thickened with a little cooked sago and enriched with beaten eggs makes a most delicious and nourishing soup.

Nellie Maxwell

Lacoste Ledger News.

Joe Riff was a Hondo visitor Saturday.

Nic Hutzler and wife were visitors at Hondo Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Adolph Biediger and children and Emma Riff visited John Wiemers and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tschirhart Sr. of Noonan were visitors here Friday.

Adolph Hitzfelder and wife were shopping in our burg Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller and daughter, Octavia, and Miss Clara Rihn were business visitors in the Alamo City Thursday.

Sheriff J. F. Bader of Hondo was here Saturday summoning witnesses for the coming term of court.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger and daughter, Elizabeth, Mrs. Louisa Biediger and Erwin Conrad were visitors at Cliff Sunday afternoon.

Frank Keller and family were Castroville visitors Sunday.

Messrs. Geo. and Paul Echtle were business visitors here Tuesday.

Miss Ida Poerner from D'Hanis is here staying with J. L. Mechler and family for a few weeks.

Frank Bohl and wife from Castroville paid a visit to Mrs. Catherine Jungmann Tuesday.

Messrs. Jacob Etter from the Sauz and Chas. Reichert from Idlewild were business visitors here Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Gus. A. Keller a son and heir Saturday, March 18th. The proud papa is wearing the biggest kind of a smile, while the young hopeful and his mother are getting along O. K.

Good For Colds.

Honey, Pine-Tar and Glycerine are recognized cold remedies. In Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey these are combined with other cough medicine in a pleasant syrup. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey quickly stops your cough, checks your cold, soothes irritation of the throat. Excellent for young, adult and aged. Its one of the best cough syrups made. Formula on every bottle. You know just what you are taking and your doctor knows its good for coughs and colds. Insist on Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Only 25c at Druggists.

Many a man who boasts that he isn't a hypocrite is so disagreeable that his acquaintances may wish he was.

No man, regardless of what he may think, has a mortgage on trouble.

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Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a spoonful tonight and if it doesn't strengthen you right up and make you feel finer and vigorous by morning I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine, entirely vegetable, therefore it can not salivate or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.



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"I am 52 years old and I have been troubled with kidneys and bladder for a good many years," writes Arthur Jones, Allen, Kans. "My age is against me to ever get cured, but Foley Kidney Pills do me more good than anything I ever tried." Rheumatism, aching back, shooting pains, stiff joints, irregular action, all have been relieved. Louis Carle, D'Hanis; W. H. Windrow, Hondo.

Farmers' Institute Organized.

Bluff, Tex., March 27.—Fletcher Davis, head agent of the State Department of Agriculture, spoke at the Wallace School House last night and organized a farmers institute. W. A. Parker, president; J. T. Walker Sr., vice-president; Ed Crist, secretary, and J. T. Walker, entomologist, were the officers elected by the institute.—San Antonio Express.

Taken With Croup.

"A few nights ago one of my patrons had a child taken with croup," writes M. T. Davis, merchant, Bears-writes, W. Va. "About midnight he came to my store and bought a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Before morning the child was entirely recovered." Many such letters have been written. Louis Carle, D'Hanis; W. H. Windrow Hondo.

Tired!
Are you tired? Run down? Nervous? Is everything you do an effort? No! It is not laziness. You are ill. Your system needs a tonic. Your Stomach, Kidneys and Liver need stirring up. Nothing will do this better than
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It is a greater attainment to be self-satisfied; you may then laugh at the world. But have a care lest Vanity take a hand and the world laugh at you.

Pills Best for Liver.

Because they contain the best liver medicines, no matter how bitter or nauseating for the sweet sugar coating hides the taste. Dr. King's New Life Pills contain ingredients that put the liver working, move the bowels freely. No gripe, no nausea, aid digestion. Just try a bottle of Dr. King's New Life Pills and notice how much better you feel. 25c at druggists.

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

J. S. Cullinan

ON TEXAS ECONOMIC LEAGUE.



In assisting in the organization of the Texas Economic League, my motive was to help form an association that could voice the sentiment and promote the interests of those engaged in producing and distributing the products of the earth. Having belonged to this class all my life and having occupied various positions in business from laborer to manager and owner, I have come in personal contact with most of the hardships encountered by those engaged in productive pursuits and I feel that much of the suffering we undergo is preventable and that improved conditions can be easily brought about through a more active and intelligent citizenship. I have resided in Texas for eighteen years and during that time have been actively identified with many lines of business, and in direct touch with industrial conditions of the state. It has been my aim to influence capital to Texas, to give employment to labor and to see Texas institutions spread over the globe.

I have faith in the people and in the future of the State and I want those who feel likewise and have a permanent interest in the State's welfare to join me in this work. The only qualification is that Citizenship, Federal, State and Community in the order named, be placed above class interest, and a more diligent study of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States be pursued.

The men engaged in productive pursuits should manage civilization. Much of the incompetency and inefficiency in our public affairs is the result of indifference and inattention to the producing classes in dealing with important public problems, leaving their solution to the non-producing classes, who should take orders from, and not give orders to, society. If business men, farmers, laborers and all factors in productive industry would discharge more fully the responsibilities of citizenship, many of the fundamental evils from which we suffer would automatically disappear, revealing a more capable and efficient commonwealth. I have unbounded faith in our system of government and believe that the serious difficulties which we encounter are due to incompetency and dereliction of important branches of government and society over which the citizenship, as a whole, has neglected to exercise a proper supervision and has failed to demand a high order of efficiency and integrity.

We should look to the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States for guidance and apply their principles to the problems of the day. As citizens we enter into a contract with government as the "party of the first part," and unless we perform the services agreed, we have no right to share the benefits of government and certainly no cause for complaint against organized society for evils which the performance of our duties as citizens would easily correct. We want to invite the people of Texas to study and discuss citizenship, determining our rights and privileges under government with a view of enjoying more fully the life, liberty and pursuit of happiness set forth in the Declaration of Independence and guaranteed by the Constitution of the United States.

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

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ON CITIZENSHIP.



The Texas Economic League invites the people of Texas into a discussion of citizenship, but before we can intelligently study so important a subject we must first define it. What is citizenship? Who is the best American citizen? Search the statute books for a definition of citizenship and unless one is a member of the legal profession we immediately become entangled in a labyrinth of confusing and oftentimes contradictory laws seeking to promote or restrain most every form of human activity, much of them good, some of them bad and others indifferent. But laws come and go; the Constitution is permanent. The preamble of our Federal Constitution states that our government is organized to give its citizens liberty and happiness. Read the Declaration of Independence and one cannot escape the conclusion that the best American citizen is he who is most free, patriotic, just, happy and active and who hands down to posterity a civilization more capable than he found it. The spirit of our country is freedom and no man can become a true American citizen unless he is free.

Turning a moment from documents of State perhaps the best authority on citizenship, and one universally accepted by the public, is Webster's International Dictionary, which defines a citizen as "A member of a State, a person, native or naturalized, of either sex who owes allegiance to government and entitled to reciprocal protection from it." Further, "A citizen as such is entitled to the protection of life, liberty and property at home and abroad. We now have before us the authoritative definition of citizenship by both government and society and in order that the most humble citizen may feel free to enter into a study and discussion of this subject, I will briefly set my conception of what citizenship involves, for the work of the Texas League will be in vain if the most lowly citizen does not feel free to serious thought and expression to his obligation to government and responsibility to his fellow men.

First, to able-bodied adult males, with which I take it we will have to do, a citizen's duty, in return for the rights, privilege and protection above, would seem to be: First, to expend sufficient labor in productive occupations, viz., manufacture, transportation and distribution, support himself and his family in comfort. Second, conform to the laws of the interest of society under the Constitution. Third, contribute proportion to the maintenance of government in personal and property taxes or, if need be, bearing arms in the defense of the state.

Having the above conclusions I have assumed that, under our government citizens are owners in common and are entitled to the benefits of government during the term of their natural lives and not only.

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

Peter Radford

ON GOVERNMENT BY SELFISHNESS.

Ever since the serpent in the Garden of Eden turned Hell loose on earth mankind has been ruled by emotions, good or evil—mostly evil. Trace the human race from the time history raises the curtain upon mankind to the present hour of extreme peril and we will find the frailties of human nature struggling for the mastery, and greed, properly restrained, the motive power that has moved civilization to its towering height and unrestrained, has hurled government to destruction and mankind to barbarism. Vilest the cemeteries of civilization and we find written upon the time-stained monument of Egypt, pride; Macedonia, ambition; Persia, conceit; Rome, conquest; Greece, envy; and upon the tombstone newly-made grave of the past generation, selfishness, and in chiseling as our epitaph, organized selfishness.

If this nation today is organized selfishness. The individual wed up in organization and the unit of government has shifted to class and in the transition we have lost many of the best of the human race and developed many of the traits of the selfishness is leading civilization from divinity to the denseness, clans and sections tear at each other with the ferocity seek to dismember and disintegrate government that dares liberty. Self-restraint is being driven from society; honesty viewpoint and might a predominating factor in right. Patriotism more from commercial paralysis than at the present hour. was a time in the history of the human race when creature a higher premium or the ideals of human success more prominent, for organizations that are swung around selfishness, call such emotions as are felt by animals that roam the forest suppress the nobler qualities of human life. The squirrel hoards up nuts to its den is thrifty but it makes no contribution to society, the lion whose roar makes the animal kingdom great powers but has never used it to uplift civilization, clans have fought desperate battles for supremacy but victory the flesh pot.

An animal and government should encourage and protect him in every emotion that moves the heart of a beast but when a flash of his soul, God Almighty expected something more of him than that. He ought to try to do something an animal can't do. A man him to nobler deeds. In society, place his fellowmen above and in government "citizenship first."

RED TOP

By KEITH KENYON.

One of the bellhops nicknamed her that the first day she came on duty at the St. Dimitri switchboard. The bellhops and their captain looked her over cautiously. She was not a city girl. Andy, bravest of all, strolled over about nine, and leaned tentatively on the top of the desk with his most friendly smile.

"How does the scenery strike you, Red Top?" he asked.

"Not half as strongly as something will strike you if you call me Red Top again," she retorted calmly. "Just stroll along there, child, I'm not a bit lonely and if I am I'll call my own numbers; thank you."

She tucked a couple of large shell pins into her side braids and looked past Andy's head absently.

The colonel expressed himself as delighted over her aloofness. Even to the colonel she was aloof, and he was owner of the St. Dimitri. She gazed past his handsome head quite as nonchalantly as she had past Andy's.

"Gad, sir," said the colonel happily, as he lingered over the after dinner cigar with the proprietor, Haswell. "Gad, sir I rather think she'll stay. Fine girl, Haswell, too good for the position. Beautiful hair. Perfect profile. Wonder she isn't mobbed but it's the manner that holds them off. She squelches a man with one look. What's her name?"

"Ruth Hollister, sir." "Hollister, Hollister?" Massachusetts? Used to be Senator Ben Hollister at Washington from Massachusetts when I was in the house. Fine chap. Gad, sir, I remember when that navy appropriation bill came up after the Japanese trouble."

The colonel rambled off luxuriously leaning far back in his deep leather chair and rocking one foot. But when his cigar burned out he sauntered down the long marble corridor to the telephone desk, and began with his very best Georgia manner.

"I beg pardon, I'm sure, Miss Hollister. I'm Colonel Congreve. I'm wondering if you could possibly be of the same family as my old friend, Senator Hollister of Massachusetts."

"I don't think so, Colonel Congreve," came back clearly, even crisply. "I am from out West, near Omaha. We have no senators in our family yet. We're just first settlers. Omaha? God bless my heart, murmured the colonel. "How did you ever get so far from home?"

"I was one of ten hundred thousand girls who imagine they can sing to grand opera in New York. I got tired living on hopes and air; so I learned this."

That night the colonel sat up on the roof garden, quite alone, long after the crowd had gone. Just why one girl's face should suddenly fill his world, he could not see. Yet all he had to do was to close his eyes and there rose before him the face of Ruth Hollister. Red Top, Haswell had said the boys called her. Glorious hair she had, rich in tone as a ripe chestnut. He wondered how he could help her. And the next day Haswell was told to promote Miss Hollister to the business department.

"You see, Miss Hollister," he told her, "I want to get up a winter book that will not only attract the very best advertisers, but the best patronage, too. Nothing flamboyant, but neat and correct, you get me? Just work along with Allan here, and I think between you you can turn out a mighty fine thing."

Allan smiled. He was the colonel's private secretary, and the two got to work over the new booklet. Ruth grew to love the work. And the colonel bided his own time, satisfied to know she was drawing \$25 a week instead of \$12, with a tidy little suite at the hotel thrown in for good measure. Around Christmas would be time enough, he thought, and he strolled over to the avenue one day and enjoyed himself supremely selecting a diamond ring for her.

The day before Christmas he came into the inner private office unexpectedly and found Ruth standing by the window, gazing down at the park while Allan talked to her. They did not notice the colonel's entrance, and he stood in silence listening. As he listened to the unreasoning, impetuous flood of speech the boy was pouring out to her—nothing but love, love, love, no mention of money or position, nothing but love—he knew all at once that here was what she needed and he could not give it to her—young love in all its splendor and divinity. He went out noiselessly.

Later, Allan came to him, his clean-shaven young face radiant with a new confidence.

"I want you to be the first to know, sir," he said, "Miss Hollister has promised to be my wife."

"You don't tell me, Allan, well," said the colonel musingly, fumbling in his vest pocket. "So she marries according to tradition here, eh, but chooses one of the force. I wonder if you'd mind so very much if I supplied the ring. It would give me the greatest pleasure—" he drew out the morocco case and opened it. "No, don't thank me, my boy."

After the boy had stepped out of the room, the colonel signed and lit a fresh cigar. Still, gad, sir, there is such a thing as victory in defeat. (Copyright, 1915, by the McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

Rebekahs Entertain.

One of the most attractive entertainments of the season was given last Monday night by the Rebekahs, honoring Mr. Tom Saathoff, who is soon to move to Tarpley where he will be the leading merchant of that little "burg."

The hours from 8:30 to 10:30 were spent in the merry game of "42," after which delicious refreshments of sandwiches and grape juice punch were served.

Prizes were then awarded to Miss Grace Schuchart of Victoria, and Mr. Ralph Noonan first prizes, Mrs. Marvin Beal and Mr. Willingham the "Boobies."

The guests numbered sixty. Mr. Saathoff will be greatly missed by the Hondoites, he having been one of the most popular young men of our little city.

CONTRIBUTED.

The Rain.

Quite an electric storm passed over this section Thursday night, accompanied by a light rain. Quite a good rain, amounting to 1-1/4 inches, fell at D'Hanis, while further west the rain was heavier, with some hail at Uvalde. The precipitation at Yancey was about the same as here, while Devine failed to get any rain. While we have reports from the hill country the fall must have been much heavier up there than here as it is reported quite a rise is coming down the Hondo. This is the first rain that has visited this section for more than two months, and while not enough to be of any practical benefit, will relieve us of the dust nuisance for a day or two at least.

Strawberry Festival.

Carrizo Springs will celebrate her third successful strawberry season with a big Strawberry Festival. Free barbecue, with strawberries and cream. Gov. Ferguson will speak. A. & M. College men also. Band concerts, athletic events, cowboy races, fill fine program. Wedding parties especially invited. Free licenses will be furnished by county clerk W. N. Terry. Justice Cook will perform ceremony gratis. Everybody in the world invited.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE, STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

Hondo vs. S. A. Academy.

The first match game of base ball for the season occurred at de Montel Park last Friday afternoon when a team from the San Antonio Academy crossed bats with the Hondo High School nine. The game was a quite interesting one up to about the fifth inning when it became evident that the San Antonio aggregation lacked the stamina of the Hondo bunch, and the game resulted in a score of 8 to 14 in favor of the local team.

Batteries: San Antonio, Armstrong and Kelly; Hondo, Carter (L) and (J) and Ezzell.

A Delightful Party.

The young married people of Hondo were delightfully entertained Tuesday night of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Crain. Forty-two was played and enjoyed until a late hour when a delicious ice course was served. The plate favors were beautiful Marchal Niel rose-buds.

Those present were: Mesdames and Messrs. Sid Carter, Marvin Beal, Walter McClaugherty, Henry McCall, Frank Cockrell, A. C. Cooley, O. W. Peters, the host and hostess.

A Card.

I wish to notify the people of Hondo that I did not take charge of the Enterprise Tailor Shop as I advertised before. I wish to state that it is not my fault that I did not.

I want to thank all who promised to do me their business. And I assure that it was appreciated just as much.

S. G. CARTER.

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Lice injure calves, hogs, and cattle. One or two applications of Ross' "Dee-Lick" Spray will positively rid stock of lice. It kills the nit and eggs of lice and insects tried you will never be without it.

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It is important for reasons of health and practical economy for every housekeeper to ask herself this question:

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Notice of Examination for Teachers' Certificates.

An examination for teachers' certificates will be held at the county seat (Hondo) on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, April 6, 7, and 8. In this examination the following schedule will be used:

Thursday forenoon: History of Education, Physics, Solid Geometry, American Literature.

Thursday afternoon: Psychology, Chemistry, Bookkeeping, Plane Trigonometry.

Friday forenoon: Physical Geography, Physiology, Composition, Arithmetic.

Friday afternoon: Texas History, Grammar, Descriptive Geography, Plane Geometry.

Saturday forenoon: Spelling, Writing, Methods and Management, Civics, Reading.

Saturday afternoon: United States History, General History, Arithmetic, Algebra.

W. N. SAATHOFF,
Co. Supt. Medina Co. Texas.

Curiosity oft leads to success, but most generally to trouble.

What is the use of living if you can't enjoy yourself?

Resolutions of Respect for Joe Langfield.

The following resolutions were adopted by Local Union, No. 570 of D'Hanis, Texas, at a meeting held at their hall on the 25th day of March A. D., 1916:

Whereas, On the 6th day of March A. D. 1916 in a most deplorable fatal accident our worthy and beloved President, neighbor, esteemed friend and brother, Jos. Langfield, met his untimely death; and,

Whereas, This Local Farmers Union, No. 570, of D'Hanis, realizing that in the loss of this, one of our most beloved, loyal and active members has sustained a heart-rending and irreparable loss that can never be supplied. Therefore, be it

Resolved, By D'Hanis Local Union, That we express and extend our heartfelt sympathy to Sister Jos. Langfield and all her family and relatives in this their hour of bereavement and distress and join with them in mourning their and our irreparable loss.

JOS. SAUTER,
A. G. ILSE,
HY. R. WERNETTE,
Committee.

When you fail ask yourself where you lack.

WAR! What Is It All About?



HAS the whole world starved mad over a very foolish and trivial question? Are words rattling, cannon rumbling, mailed armor glittering just because Russia wanted to show her love for the little grim and sinister game of chess that is being played. See upon what a slim, history of the past one hundred years, as written by some of the greatest authorities the world has ever known, and learn the naked, shameful truth, this extraordinary offer. We will give to you

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